[Hon'ble Mr. A. Thanu Pillai]

(e) No. Officers can get promotions only in accordance with the rules and conditions existing for the time being.

(f) Compensatory allowances in lieu of eligible leave, and leave allowances are proposed to be granted.

*Tax Receipt.*

389. MR. P. CHACKO: (*Thiruvella V—General*) Will the Honourable Minister for Land be pleased to state.

(a) whether the Government are aware that tax receipt form given by the Kalloopara Pakuthy authorities is different from the forms prescribed by the Government for other pakuthies; and

(b) Will the Government order for the use of the form prescribed by the Government without any delay?

HON'BLE MR. C. KESAVAN: (a) and (b) There is no material difference between the tax receipt form used by the Edapally Swarupam authorities for Kalloopara pakuthy and the one prescribed by Government for use in other pakuthies.

*Disabilities of the Ryots of the Kalloopara Pakuthy.*

390 MR. P. CHACKO: Will the Honourable Minister for Land be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government be pleased to make enquiries about the disabilities of the ryots of the Kalloopara pakuthy in the matter of pokkuvaravoo, Ottivil·kkom and payment of tax in kind and about the Mal-administration of the Kallooppara pakuthy by the Edappally Chief;

(b) in the interest of the citizens of the Kalloopara pakuthy will the Government be pleased to assume the management of the same;

(c) will the Government be pleased to state the extent and population of the Kalloopara pakuthy; and

d) will the Government be pleased to consider the question of dividing the pakuthy into two or three pakuthies for the proper administration of the pakuthy?

HON'BLE MR. C. KESAVAN: (a) Yes.

(b) No.

(c) Extent 35 sq. miles, population 57,486.

(d) Yes.

*Opening of Libraries and Reading Rooms*

MR. N V. CHACKO (*Kunnathunad III—General*): Will the Honourable Minister for Education be pleased to state.

(a) whether the Government are taking vigorous steps for opening Libraries and Reading rooms in all the Karas of the several parts of the State; and

(b) if they are not taking such steps, whether they will be pleased to take such steps without delay?

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